HOUSE RESOLUTION No. _____ Introduced by: Knollman

A RESOLUTION recognizing Robert Juncker on the occasion of his retirement.

Whereas, Robert Juncker has served Hoosiers as the state advisor for FFA and the Indiana Young Farmers Association and as the agriculture education specialist for the Department of Education loyally and with great dedication for many years;

Whereas, It has been Robert Juncker's job as the agriculture education specialist to see that "all people value and understand the vital role of agriculture, food, fiber, and natural resource systems in advancing personal and global well-being, and that students are prepared for successful careers and a lifetime of informed choices in agriculture";

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Whereas, Robert Juncker received bachelor's and master's degrees in agriculture education from Purdue University and has worked in that field throughout his career;

Whereas, Robert Juncker began his career as a high school vocational agriculture teacher and is currently the university supervisor, Department of Curriculum and Instruction, School of Education at Purdue University in West Lafayette;

Whereas, Robert Juncker has also served as the state FFA executive secretary/treasurer;

Whereas, Robert Juncker is a member of Team AG Ed of Indiana, NVATA, NAAE, Indiana Association of Agricultural Educators, and NACTE;

Whereas, Robert Juncker also serves on the Indiana FFA Foundation as a board member, president of the Central Indiana FFA Leadership Corporation, chair of State Ag Day, agriculture advisory board member of the STAR Academy, ag advisory committee member at Whiteland High School, and a member of the State Fair Strategic Planning Committee; and

Whereas, Hoosiers who have made great contributions to the citizens of our state deserve special recognition: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

- SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives wishes Robert Juncker well and thanks him for his many contributions to the young people of our state and all Hoosiers.
- 4 SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to Robert Juncker.

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